OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROPOSED ORDER

DESIGNATING AND DESCRIBING EAST WALKER AREA (109) HYDROGRAPHIC BASIN IN LYON AND MINERAL COUNTY, NEVADA

The State Engineer finds that conditions warrant the designation of the East Walker Area Hydrographic Basin, within Lyon County and Mineral County, Nevada, and by this Order designates the following described areas of land as a ground water basin coming under the provisions of NRS Chapter 534 (Underground Water and Wells).

T.11N., R26E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 24, 25, 26 and 36 and that portion of Sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 22, 23, 27, 34 and 35 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.11N., R27E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23 and 24 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.11N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 and that portion of Sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 27 and 34 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.10N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Section 1 and that portion of Sections 2, 11, 12, 13, 24 and 25 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.10N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 30 and 31 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.10N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 and that portion of Sections 3, 10, 15, 22, 27 and 34 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.9N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 2, 9, 10, 16, 17, 20, 29, 30 and 32 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.9N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Section 6 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.9N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 29, 30, 31 and 32 and that portion of Sections 3, 4, 10, 15, 22, 27, 28, 33 and 34 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.8N., R.25E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 25, 31 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.8N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 5, 7, 8, 18, 19 and 30 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.8N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All Sections.

T.8N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 and that portion of Sections 3, 10, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 36 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.7N., R.24E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 1, 2 and 12 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.7N., R.25E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 36 and that portion of Sections 5, 6, 7, 17, 18, 20, 21, 27, 28, 34 and 35 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.7N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

All Sections.

T.7N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All Sections.

T.7N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 12 and 13 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.7N., R.29E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 30 and 31 and that portion of Sections 19, 29, 32 and 33 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.6N., R.25E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 1, 2 and 12 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.6N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24 and 25 and that portion of Sections 7, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26, 27, 28, 35 and 36 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.6N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All Sections.

T.6N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All Sections.

T.6N., R.29E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 3, 4, 10, 11, 12, 13, 24, 25, 35 and 36 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.5N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Section 1 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.5N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23, 24 and 25 and that portion of Sections 6, 7, 8, 16, 17, 21, 22, 26, 27 and 36 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.5N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 30 and that portion of Sections 12, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 31 and 32 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

T.5N., R.29E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 3 and 6 and that portion of Sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 18 lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area.

Additionally, those areas between the Von Schmidt Line and the Nevada-California border lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada, described as follows:

T.5N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 4, 5, 9, 10, 14, 15, 23, 24 and 25 lying within the Von Schmidt Line and the Nevada-California border and lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.5N., R.28E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 30, 31 and 32 lying within the Von Schmidt Line and the Nevada-California border and lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.6N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 13, 14 and 24 lying within the Von Schmidt Line and the Nevada-California border and lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

T.6N., R.27E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 19, 29, 30, 32 and 33 lying within the Von Schmidt Line and the Nevada-California border and lying within the Natural Drainage Basin of the East Walker Area and the State of Nevada.

In Accordance with NRS 534.120, subsection 2, the irrigation of land using ground water is not considered to be a preferred use of the limited resource and applications to appropriate underground water for irrigation will be denied in the above-described area. Further, it is ordered that, with the following exceptions, applications filed to appropriate water from the ground water source pursuant to Chapter 534 within the designated East Walker Area hydrographic basin will be denied.

EXCEPTIONS:

- 1. Those applications filed for preferred uses, which seek to appropriate 5,000 gallons per day or less, where the property is zoned for such purposes.
- 2. Those applications for environmental permits filed pursuant to NRS 533.437.